

R E M A R K S

The drawing was objected to because transmitter 100 is shown to include a transceiver 115, and receiver 105 is also shown to include a transceiver 115.

The undersigned held a short telephone interview with Examiner Lugo, explaining that transmitter 100 and receiver 105 are, typically, constructed as a single unit that employs a single transceiver module, or element. When that unit is used as a transmitter, the transceiver element operates as a transmitting unit, and when the unit is used as a receiver, the transceiver element operates as a receiving unit. It was agreed that amending FIG. 1 to call element 115 (which is found in both the transmitter and the receiver) a "transceiver element" would overcome the objection.

The Examiner's courtesy and cooperative attitude are greatly appreciated.

As agreed, enclosed is the amended FIG. 1. The Examiner is requested to approve the amended drawing. The specification is amended to correspond to the amended drawing, thereby overcoming the objection to the specification.

Claims 1-12 and 16-19 were objected to. The suggestions made by the Examiner to overcome the objection are adopted, and the claims are amended accordingly. As amended, it is believed that the outstanding claims are in condition for allowance.

In light of the above amendments to the specification, the claims, and the drawings, it is respectfully submitted that all of the Examiner's objections have been overcome. Reconsideration, and allowance of the outstanding claims are, therefore, respectfully solicited.

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